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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I am a consumer who supports broadband competition. I chose Sonic for my internet provider and my landline phone because it supports net neutrality, has EXCELLENT customer service, all at reasonable prices. The 'big companies' don't do this. The 'big companies' will increase rates and lower customer service because they would be a monopoly. Sonic is building new fiber networks in my community. They need to continue to do this.

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